



## Early Journal Content on JSTOR, Free to Anyone in the World

This article is one of nearly 500,000 scholarly works digitized and made freely available to everyone in the world by JSTOR.

Known as the Early Journal Content, this set of works include research articles, news, letters, and other writings published in more than 200 of the oldest leading academic journals. The works date from the mid-seventeenth to the early twentieth centuries.

We encourage people to read and share the Early Journal Content openly and to tell others that this resource exists. People may post this content online or redistribute in any way for non-commercial purposes.

Read more about Early Journal Content at <http://about.jstor.org/participate-jstor/individuals/early-journal-content>.

JSTOR is a digital library of academic journals, books, and primary source objects. JSTOR helps people discover, use, and build upon a wide range of content through a powerful research and teaching platform, and preserves this content for future generations. JSTOR is part of ITHAKA, a not-for-profit organization that also includes Ithaka S+R and Portico. For more information about JSTOR, please contact [support@jstor.org](mailto:support@jstor.org).

Infectious diseases— <i>Continued.</i>	Deaths.
Septicæmia .....	2
Pernicious fever .....	2
Enteric fever.....	1
Puerperal fever.....	1
Diseases of the digestive apparatus.....	60
Diseases of the respiratory system.....	8
Diseases of the circulatory system.....	7
Diseases of the nervous system.....	0
Other diseases (anæmia, inanition, etc.).....	41
Total .....	148
Births in the same period.....	37

PONCE, PUERTO RICO, *December 26, 1899.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the weekly quarantine and abstract of bills of health reports for the week ended December 23. The steamer *Maria Herrera*, from Cuban ports, came this week not disinfected at Santiago, and carrying nonimmune passengers. She was held two days in quarantine to complete the five day period from Santiago. Also arrived this week, the Spanish steamer *Montevideo*, from Cuban and South American ports. She was allowed to transact all business in quarantine, and the baggage of third-class local passengers was disinfected. The general health of Ponce shows no change, continuing as before.

Respectfully,

P. MALARET,  
*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.,  
 In Temporary Charge.*

*Report of immigration at Boston for the week ended December 30, 1899.*

OFFICE OF U. S. COMMISSIONER OF IMMIGRATION,  
*Port of Boston, December 31, 1899.*

*Number of alien immigrants who arrived at this port during the week ended December 30, 1899 ;  
 also names of vessels and ports from which they came.*

Date.	Vessel.	Where from.	No. of immigrants.
Dec. 24	Steamship Prince George.....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia.....	126
Do.....	Steamship Boston.....	.....do.....	58
Dec. 25	Steamship Admiral Farragut.....	Port Morant, Jamaica.....	1
Dec. 26	Steamship Sachem.....	Liverpool, England.....	2
Do.....	Steamship Bostonian.....	London, England.....	3
Dec. 27	Steamship Philadelphian.....	Liverpool, England.....	2
Do.....	Steamship Peruvian.....	Glasgow, Scotland.....	5
Dec. 28	Steamship Halifax.....	Halifax, Nova Scotia.....	19
Do.....	Steamship Prince George.....	Yarmouth, Nova Scotia.....	74
Do.....	Steamship Boston.....	.....do.....	52
Do.....	Steamship Virginian.....	London, England.....	3
Dec. 29	Steamship Sylvania.....	Liverpool, England.....	18
Do.....	Steamship Cambrian.....	London, England.....	24
Do.....	Steamship Fitzclarence.....	Antwerp, Belgium.....	1
Dec. 30	Steamship Oakmore.....	London, England.....	6
	Total .....	.....	394

GEORGE B. BILLINGS,  
*Commissioner.*